BC Oil and Gas Commission

Quarterly Enforcement Action Summary

October 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014

The BC Oil and Gas Commission (Commission) is the provincial regulatory agency with responsibility for regulating oil and gas activities in British Columbia, including exploration, development, pipeline transportation and reclamation.

This summary provides a quarterly overview of enforcement actions undertaken by the Commission in 2014. Please contact ogc.communications@bcogc.ca for more information.

Orders – issued if there is a failure to comply with the Oil and Gas Activities Act (OGAA), associated regulations, permits or authorizations, or a previous order.

Tickets – issued under the authority of provincial acts for which the Commission has regulatory responsibility, including the Water Act, Land Act and Forest Act.

Administrative penalties – levied in the event of a contravention of OGAA, in accordance with the act and regulation.

Charges – recommended to Crown counsel for prosecution and possible court conviction.

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*Compliance categories with no enforcement actions issued during a quarter have not been listed.

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ORDERS

Operator	Location	Legislation	Description
Progress Energy Canada Ltd.	Fort St. John	Order 2014-017 49(1)(b)	Provide site investigation and remediation plan. Compliance achieved. Order terminated.
Terra Energy Corp.	Fort St. John	Order 2014-018 49(1)(b)	Provide site investigation and analysis. Compliance achieved. Order terminated.
Terra Energy Corp.	Fort St. John	Order 2014-019 49(1)(b)	Submit records for well suspension and response to well leak. Compliance ongoing.

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TICKETS

Operator	Location	Legislation	Penalty	Description
Chinook Energy	Fort St. John	22 Water Act	$230 (1 ticket)	Failure to keep/produce water records
Explor Geophysical Ltd.	Fort St. John	22 Water Act	$230 (1 ticket)	Failure to keep/produce water records
Norcan Energy Corp.	Fort Nelson	22 Water Act	$230 (1 ticket)	Failure to keep/produce water records
Imperial Oil Resource Ltd.	Fort St. John	22 Water Act	$230 (1 ticket)	Failure to keep/produce water records
Nova Gas Transmission Ltd.	Fort St. John	22 Water Act	$1,380 (6 tickets)	Failure to keep/produce water records
Pengrowth Energy Corp.	Fort St. John	22 Water Act	$230 (1 ticket)	Failure to keep/produce water records

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ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTIES

Operator	Location	Legislation	Amount	Description
Anadime Energy Inc.	Fort St. John	Section 82 OGAA	$25,000	Failure to comply with an Order.
Sun Oil Fund Ltd.	Fort St. John	Section 82 OGAA	$200	Failure to comply with an Order.
Progress Energy Canada Ltd.	Fort St. John	Section 37(1)(a) OGAA Section 51(1)(c) Drilling and Production Regulation	$10,000	Failure to prevent spillage. Failure to ensure formation water did not run over, pollute, or damage any land.